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What is claimed is:

- 1. An alarm system, comprising:
 - a) an enclosure;
 - b) a microprocessor secured within said enclosure;
- c) a wireless receiver adapted to receive an alarm signal about at least one zone being monitored, said wireless receiver secured within said enclosure and electrically connected to said microprocessor;
 - d) a communications device in electrical communication with said microprocessor, said communications device adapted to initiate and complete a transmission when said receiver receives said signal, to a location apart from said zone.
 - 2. An alarm system according to claim 1, wherein said communications device is secured within said enclosure.
 - An alarm system according to claim 1, wherein said alarm signal is prompted by a
 motion detector contained within said enclosure, said motion detector adapted to
 sense motion in a zone outside said enclosure.
 - An alarm system according to claim 1, wherein said alarm signal is prompted by a wireless switch placed at a location in said zone.
 - 5. An alarm system, comprising:
- a) an enclosure;
 - b) a microprocessor secured within said enclosure;
 - c) a wireless receiver adapted to receive an alarm signal from at least one zone being monitored, said wireless receiver in electrical communication with said microprocessor;

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- d) a device physically remote from said enclosure for obtaining communication to a remote security station; and
- e) a cordless communications device in electrical communication with said microprocessor, said cordless communications device adapted to initiate a transmission when said receiver receives said alarm signal, to a location apart from said zone, said cordless communication device adapted for communicating with said device for obtaining communication with a remote security station;

wherein said device physically remote from said enclosure for obtaining communication to a remote security station allows an alarm transmission to be sent from a location remote from said enclosure.

- 6. An alarm system according to claim 5, wherein said device for obtaining communication with a remote security station is comprised of a line seizure unit for capturing dial-tone and a transmitter.
- 7. An alarm system according to claim 6, wherein said means for communicating with said device for obtaining communication with a remote security station is comprised of a receiver for accepting signals from said transmitter.
 - 8. An alarm system, comprising:
 - a) an enclosure;
 - b) a microprocessor secured within said enclosure;
 - c) an intruder detection device in communication with said microprocessor;
 - d) a transmission device in association with said enclosure for obtaining communication to a remote security station; and
 - e) a wireless communications device in electrical communication with said microprocessor, said wireless communications device adapted to initiate a

wireless transmission to said transmission device for obtaining communication with a remote security station.

9. A portable alarm system according to claim 8, wherein said transmission device establishes a connection with said remote security station through a telephone landline.